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SUBJECT: CANADIAN NOTIFICATION FOOD AID TO MOROCCO

1. FOLLOWING NOTIFICATION DATED MAY 4, 1973 RECEIVED AT
EMBASSY MAY 9 FROM EXTAF: QUOTE NOT FOR PUBLICATION
2. TYPE OF TRANSACTION: TYPE 2 OF CATALOGUE OF TRANSACTIONS,
GIFT FOR DISTRIBUTION BY MEANS OF LOCAL SALE.
3. TITLE OF NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM: CANADIAN
FOOD AID UNDER CIDA (SHIPPED UNDER FAC).
4. RECIPIENT COUNTRY OR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION: MOROCCO
5. COMMODITY TABLE: COMMODITY; BARLEY, QUANTITY APPROX
18.0 THOUSAND M/ T; VALUE C& F DOLLARS (CDN) 2.0 MILLION.
6. VALUE OF MONETARY GRANT, IF ANY: NONE.
7. CURRENCY USES: IF DERIVED, APPLIED TO LOCAL ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT.

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8. TERMS OF LOANS OR SALES IF APPLICABLE: N/ A.

9. SUPPLY PERIOD OR PERIOD OF SHIPMENT: MAY- SEPT, 1973.

10. PROVISION OR UNDERTAKINGS RELATING TO SAFEGUARDING OF NORMAL COMMERCIAL TRADE, INCLUDING UMR (IF ANY): (A) EXPORT LIMITATION: NO/ NO EXPORT OF BARLEY/ FEED GRAINS DURING 12 MONTH PERIOD IN WHICH SUPPLIES ARE RECEIVED OR IN ANY SUBSEQUENT 12 MONTH PERIOD IN WHICH BARLEY IS IMPORTED PURSUANT TO PROVISION OF THIS AID; (B) UMR: IN VIEW OF NEGLIGIBLE COMMERCIAL MARKET FOR BARLEY IN MOROCCO, CDA PROPOSES NO/ NO UMR FOR FY74 (JULY '73 TO JUNE '74).

11. TIED PROVISIONS:URES IN VULNERABLE AREAS LIKE SOUTH ASIA, CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE SUDANO- SAHELIAN ZONE OF AFRICA AND THE NEED FOR A MORE APPROPRIATE GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF BASIC FOOD STOCKS,

NOTING THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY HAS NOT YET ACCEPTED OR EVOLVED IN ANY MEANINGFUL SENSE, THE CONCEPT OF MINIMUM SAFE LEVEL OF BASIC FOOD STOCKS FOR THE WORLD AS A WHOLE,

EMPHASIZING THAT TO ENSURE THE ADEQUATE AVAILABILITY OF FOOD IS A COMMON RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY AND COULD CONTRIBUTE TO THE COLLECTIVE ECONOMIC SECURITY OF THE WORLD,

1. WELCOMES THE INTENTION OF THE DIRECTOR- GENERAL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION TO SUBMIT CONCRETE PROPOSALS DESIGNED TO IMPLEMENT THE CONCEPT OF MINIMUM WORLD FOOD SECURITY FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE FAO COUNCIL IN JUNE 1973 AND THE FAO CONFERENCE IN NOVEMBER 1973; AND

2. INVITES THE DIRECTOR- GENERAL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION TO REPORT TO THE FIFTY- SIXTH SESSION OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL ON THE PROGRESS MADE IN FORMULATING AND IMPLEMENTING THESE PROPOSALS.
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